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ONE KILLED, ONE CRITICALLY HURT ON RAILROAD AT ROSCOE

Body of Stanley Davis Badly Mangled – Louis Furlong Rushed to Hospital

ON WAY TO WORK AT TIME

Stepped From Path of One Train in Front of Another—Both Men Well Known in Roscoe. Being Employed At Globe Mine.

Stanley Davis, aged 18 years, a driver of the Globe or Vesta No. 3 mine was instantly killed and Louis Furlong, aged 45 married , was critically injured when they stepped from the path of one freight t rain into the path of another not far from the mine at Roscoe this morning at 6:30 o'clock. Davis' body was badly mangled. Furlong suffered fracture of one leg and it is feared was internally injured. He was rushed to the Mercy hospital at Pittsburg on the 7 o'clock passenger train.

The two men were walking to work at the Globe when two trains approached. The story is told that they were caught by a south bound train running on the north bound track.

Davis' mangled body was picked up and removed to Hancock's undertaking rooms in Roscoe and Furlong was given medical attention immediately. Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] family and is prominent in affairs at Roscoe. He was employed as a digger in the mine.

WOMEN QUARREL THEN SHOOTING TAKES PLACE

Pulling a revolver from under her apron, where she had concealed it, Mrs. Rosa Moats, aged 26, is alleged to have shot and probably fatally wounded Mrs. Emma Anderson, aged 27, when the two women met in a public road at Haydentown, eight miles from Uniontown Thursday, and renewed a quarrel which had occurred between them some time ago.

With a bullet wound in her head, Mrs. Anderson is in the Uniontown hospital believed to be dying, while Mrs. Moats, calm and apparently undisturbed by the affair, is being held in the Fayette county jail, pending the outcome of Mrs. Anderson's wound.

Going in opposite directions almost within the shadow of their homes the women met in the center of the road and bitter remarks were passed by both, it is said.

During the quarrel Mrs. Moats is said to have made a slanderous remark about Mrs. Anderson and the latter retaliated.

The quarrel became more bitter as it progressed and Mrs. Anderson about to end the quarrel by leaving it is said, shouted at Mrs. Moats, "Go home and mind your own business." Quickly slipping from under her apron a blue steel 32-calibre revolver, Mrs. Moats pointed the weapon at Mrs. Anderson and fired. The aim was true and the bullet struck Mrs. Anderson in the head and she fell to the road.

She screamed as she fell and residents of the vicinity quickly rushed to the scene of the shooting. Mrs. Anderson was hurriedly taken to the hospital while Mrs. Moats was arrested and taken to jail.

Mrs. Moats refused to talk when pressed for a statement, but the police investigations revealed that the women haad incurred each other's enmity some time ago when they had a bitter quaarrel.

WANTED HORSE SO HE COULD GO RIDING TO VISIT GOD

Declaring he wanted a horse so he could go to see God, Peter Obsut entered the stable of John A. Carson in Fallowfield township Thursday to secure his nag. While there he was overpowered and placed under arrest. He was brought to Charleroi and today was removed to the county home at Arden by Chief of Police Albright. It is said that the man a few days ago ordered a new suit and attempted to pay for it by returning his old one. He is said to have spent three years in an asylum, and to have been discharged one year ago.

Chief Albright also took to the county home Joseph Kornhi, said to be mentally derranged, and took to the county jail Mrs. Andy Recho, charged with cohabitation with Mike Salinko, who now is in jail.

RELOADING COAL AT LOCAL DOCKS

Innovation Being Tried in Getting Supply to Steel Plant From Up River

SHIP PART WAY BY BARGE

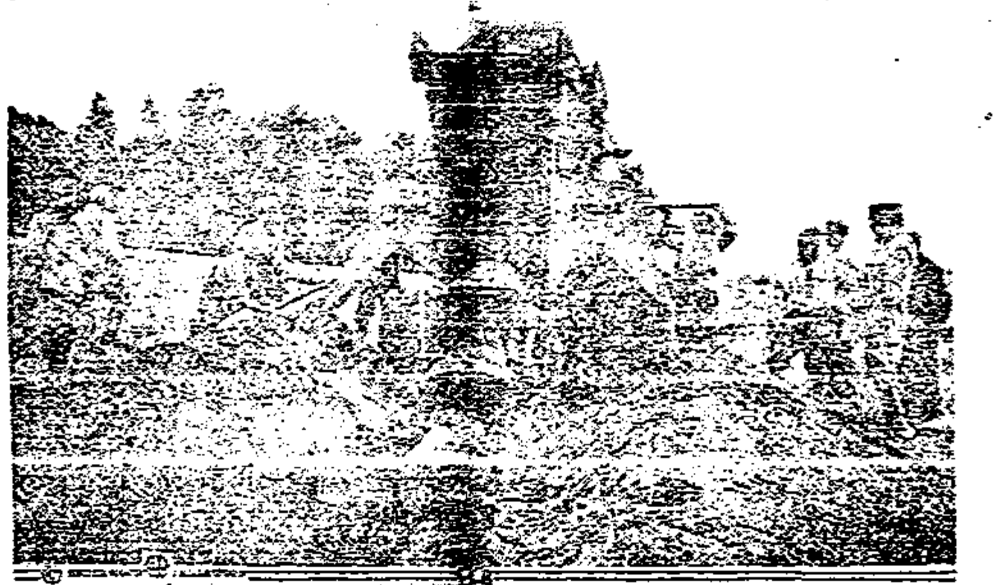
An innovation in coal and coke shipments is this week being tried out at the Wireton docks, owing to the scarcity of cars which abounds over the country, especially for local and short line shipments. The innovation is the loading of barges at the Alicia mine near Brownsville and shipment to the Wireton docks, to be transferred to cars for transportation to the Pittsburg Steel plant.

The coal and coke is being loaded in large steel barges at Alicia and is being met by the Pittsburg Steel company's own steel cars at their own docks. The work of unloading the coke is going on night and day, large electric arc lights having been erected of facilitate thework at night. Unless some relief is visible shortly this loading industry promises to be a feature, and a number of men will be given employment. The cars are being loaded by steam hoists in a completed and rapid manner.

Sickening headaches, constipation, indicate unhealthy condition of stomach and bowels. Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea assists the bowels to work naturally, thus aiding your health in general. Begin tonight. Henning's Drug Store.

The Philathea class of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a bake sale at Fleming's store, Saturday, December 13. ST&F

France's New Trench Tractor



This is the first photograph to reach this country showing the giant new tractors now used for digging trenches in France. As the huge machine rumbles over the ground it leaves in its wake a deep, clean-cut trench that it would take twenty men twice the time to duplicate. In appearance and in its operations, it resembles somewhat the smaller ditch diggers to be seen in the western section of the United States. The earth and rock removed by the endless chain of scoops is thrown up on either side of the excavation, making effective breastworks.

JOHN G. BOWSER, WAR VETERAN DIES HERE

Fought During Part of Civil War With Company G, Seventy-Eighth Pennsylvania Volunteers, Enlisting At Kittanning

John G. Bowser, aged 81 years, a veteran of the Civil war, died at his home at 321 Shady avenue this morning at 2 o'clock from the [illegible] of old age. The funeral will be held with services this evening at 7 o'clock at the home conducted by Rev. C. A. Hartung, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal c hurch. The body will Saturday morning be taken to McKeesport and from there to Irwin for interment in the Union cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Bowser was born February 9. 1836 at Kittanning. During the Civil war he enlisted as a member of Company G, 78th Pennsylvania Volunteers. He served 10 months in actual service. Then he fell a victim of typhoid fever and was in the hospital the remainder of the time of the struggle. His enlistment was under Col. Sirwell.

Nine sons and daughters and one brother and one sister survive. One son and one daughter, J. T. Bowser and Miss Minnie Bowser live in Charleroi. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church. Mr. Bowser had lived in Charleroi 18 months.

PITTSBURG GAS COMPANY MAKES STRIKE AT LIBRARY ON THE CHEESEMAN FARM

The Pittsburg Gas company has located its second gas well on the John Cheeseman farm, near Library. Drilling was commenced on last Tuesday. The Pittsburg Gas company has seven wells on the farm of the Joseph Phillips heirs, also near Library and the Philadelphia company has two. Drilling activities in the Finleyville district gas field have been started by both of these companies, and it is expected that they will make an effort to tap all gas pockets in the vicinity.

NATURAL WATER COURSE TROUBLE BEFORE COURT

Adjudication Handed Down Instructing Monongahela to Take Good Care Of Drainage and Property Holders To Not Throw in Refuse.

In the suit of the city of Monongahela against Emily Owens and Elmer Liebler, a bill for a mandatory injunction, the court has handed down an adjudication. Involved was a natural water course in Monongahela, which the defendants were alleged to have interfered with by allowing an obstruction to remain in it. The court, in its conclusions of law, finds that the city is entitled to the injunction prayed for.

The court further finds, however, that the facts do not warrant a decree awardigg damages to the city equal to the amount of the expense incurred in cleaning and removing the refuse from Park avenue, Monongahela, deposited there by reason of the obstructions in the drain in dispute. The court says that if the defendants put what was the natural water course in proper shape they should be relieved from the payment of any damages which the city may have sustained by the flow of water onto Park avenue.

The court also concludes that it is the duty of the city to protect its streets and provide proper drainage for the surface water falling or flowing from streams within the limits of the city, so that no injury shall be done either to the owners of private property or to the streets of the city.

The court is also of the opinion that the owners of property within the limits of the city have no right to destroy natural drainage ways; that the defendants have obstructed the natural draining way across their lot, and are bound in law to remove that obstruction, so that as safe and ample a way as the way provided by nature shall be afforded the passage of water through their lot into the culvert under Park avenue and that it is their duty to remove that obstruction so that the water can have free passage through the drain.

HARRY GREB VS. EDDIE COLEMAN, MAIN BOUT BOXING SHOW, CHARLEROI RINK, SATURDAY

DYING MAN RELATES STORY OF BROWNSVILLE SHOOTING AFFAIR

NEW PROJECTING MACHINES TO BE USED FOR FAMOUS FILM DRAMA

Two new projecting machines have been received by Manager W. S. Sweeney of the Majestic theatre, and they will be placed for use the first time next Monday, when the great play "Civilization" will be featured. The machines are of the latest model Simplex manufacture. They are the sort that are found in some of the largest theatres of the country given to photoplay features. The machines have been on display at the Majestic for the last few days. "Civilization," the drama on which they are first to be used is to have a two days run at the Majestic. It is one of the most noted productions of the present day, being founded on a scriptural verse.

TO CHANGE NAME OF NEW TOWBOAT

Cruicible Fuel Company will Overhaul Recently Purchased Charlie Clark

BARGE SINKS AT LOCK NO. 4

The Crucible Fuel and Coke company, which operates a large mining plant just above Rices Landing, has found it necessary to increase their transportation facilities in their extensive river trade and with that in view have purchased from the Pittsburg Coal company the steamer Charlie Clark, to be placed immedialy in commission. The Crucible line now comprises the steamers Crucible, Midland and Charlie Clark. The name of the Clark will be changed and the boat repainted and overhauled as soon as her services can be dispensed with from the line.

A barge of coal belonging to W. Harry Brown and in tow of the steamer Alicia was sunk at Lock No. 4 the first of the week. It has been pumped out and put afloat by the Steamer Collier of the Brown line. Neither the barge nor the coal was damaged to any extent and was taken to Pittsburg for local consumption. No blame could be attached to any one for the sinkage, as it was one of those unforeseen river ocurrences which happens when least expected.

With a 17 foot coal boat stage of water at the Pittsburg wharf the last few days and not a boat to go south, an unusual condition existed this week. A few years ago probably twenty boats would have left on the crest of the rise and hundreds of men would have been employed for the down river trip. There is a local demand now that is keeping much of the coal at home.

The steamer J. C. Risher is out again after having received a set of new steel boilers and other repairs, and is like a new boat. The Risher will take the place in the coal towing trade of the Charlie Clark recently sold by the Pittsburg Coal company to the Crucible Fuel company.

Jose Nicholls Railies Sufficently to Give County Detective a Statement

NEITHER OF TWO WILL LIVE

Condition of Jose and Brother Andrew Hopeless—Former Tells Details of Fight and Gives List of Names To County Detective Smith

Without hope of life, Jose Nicholls one of the two brothers shot early Thursday morning following a quarrel at Cropp's blacksmith shop at Brownsville, during conscious moments Thursday night at the hospital gave a long statement of the shooting to Fayette County Detective John Smith. He makes direct accusations and tells details. He says his brother Andrew, who also is in a dying condition at the hospital was first shot by John C. Busch, now in jail, and that he was shot going to Andrews rescue. Jose has a bullet lodged in his neck that will prove fatal.

Jose furnished a list of names of those he says were present preceding the shooting and at the time and incidentally supplies a list of names of several well known South Brownsville people alleged to have been concerned in the operation of the gambling place w hence the shooting occurred. Jose tells of the fight and [illegible]

Both Andrew and Jose Nicholls are known in Charleroi. It is said they formerly were employed on the government boat Slackwater.

EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS STARTED BY W. H. ZELLARS AT THE HOTEL CHARLEROI

Renovations and improvements of which the chief feature will be changing the location of the dining room from the fourth floor to a location on the first, are being started by William H. Zellars, proprietor at the Hotel Charleroi. The elevator is being done away with in order to afford proper space and the dining room will occupy the space formerly devoted to the uses of the Adams' Express company. The kitchen will be located conveniently on the first floor and the laundry which has been on the fifth floor will be moved to the basement. A new front will be installed for the dining room, large plate glass windows to be a feature.

Additional rooms will be installed on the fourth floor where the dining room has been. Six or more rooms will be fitted up with private baths.

FOUND STRICKEN MAN HAD TEETH LODGED IN THROAT

Falling to the street at Fifth and McKean this morning, gasping for breath, a man by the name of Castor was carried to the office of Dr. A. O. Davis, where it was learned his set of false teeth had become lodged in his throat. They were extracted. Then the man was cared for by the police.

C. S. McKean and Lawrence B. Frye were in Pittsburg Thursday.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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NO COMPLAINT FORTHCOMING.

The Monongahela valley has no occasion to complain neglect, even if congress does pass it up in the list of appropriations this year. There is nothing pressing needed in the way of improvement. Locks sufficient unto present needs have been building and what is necessary only is that they be kept in good repair.

Within the last five years two locks have been built in the Monongahela, Lock No 6 by direct appropriation and Lock No. 4, through the use of an emergency fund provided by the war department. Later another part of No. 6 will be reconstructed, but that will come in another budget. At present the need is not great enough to demand another new lock. At Lock No. 4 work will be continued until the inner of the two locks is completed, and then work started on a new dam. All this has been arranged for by the government, without direct appropriation.

From Lock No. 1 to No. 6, with the new work completed, the slackwater system will be in first-class shape. Practically all the locks are new, so that even the cost of maintanance will be low. Eventually there will have to be an extension of the lock system, but there is no immediate need. Better had the funds be put into the needs of maintenance and the repair department for future use.

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WHAT OTHERS THINK

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PAY FOR JURORS

Among the proposed bills to be introduced into the legislative hopper at Harrisburg the coming season is one by an Allegheny county legislator providing for an advance in the pay of jurors from $2.50 to $3.50 per day. The chief objection of the bill according to the author is to remove the objection of certain men "that they cannot afford to go on the jury."

Undoubtedly the pay of jurors is small when compared with the wage which the average man receives for his labor. As the wages of almost every kind of employment have gone up recently to meet the increased cost of living it might well be argued that the salaries of jurors ought also to be increased.

But as the Greensburg Record says in this period of prosperity, with unprecedented high wages, it is doubtful that the $1 increase would prove much of an inducement for men to serve on juries. " A still better way to improve the character of jurors would be to arouse the civic pride in the citizens so that they will recognize it as a duty to serve when called, without showing a distaste for the service and to give the best that is in them."

It was never intended that the pay given to the men who serve on juries would be commensurate would the service they render or the time they actually put in. The payment of $2.50 a day is a mere nominal one. The majority of those who serve on our juries make sacrifices in giving their time, but it is a part of the patriotic duty and obligation which each citizen owes to his country or his commonwealth.

Everyone who is patriotic is interested in seeing that justice is done not only to himself but to his fellowmen.

If those who receive more than $2.50 per day for their work in their daily employment would refuse to serve on the jury in these days, we would not have very many men to select from.

We all must make some sacrifices in this life for the good of society and serving on the jury is one of those obligations we owe to society and which all good citizens should pay without a protest.—Washngton Obserever.

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PICKED UP IN PASSING

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"Anybody try to sell you gold bricks while y ou was to town?"

"No," replied Farmer Corntossel. "Got them city fellers tamed, we have. They're so busy lookin' out fur cold storage eggs and imitation butter they ain't got no time to think up no more tricks on us innocent, unsuspectin' farmers."

GINGLES' JINGLES

BE CHEERFUL.

'Tis a sad old earth, we know it, 'tis a place that's filled with gloom, 'tis a cruel and a [illegible] planet, 'tis a place we all love dear, 'tis a spot of many hardships, [illegible] of [illegible] ease, one of health and [illegible] plenty [illegible] ease. It is all we can make it as a beauty spot of cheer, it is also [illegible] of sorrows [illegible] of [illegible] and of fear, as you make it [illegible] brother it she'll ever [illegible] what you cast [illegible] reflection you shall see. So regardless of [illegible] your [illegible] with a smile you [illegible] a [illegible] be a winner all the [illegible] will come to those who seek it, gladness [illegible] those who seek have always [illegible]. Then [illegible] don't be selfish, be a happy, cheerful guy, spreading sunshine you have gathered, making gloom from others fly.

Lem H. Gingles

In the suburban train the conversation turned on the important subject of economy. Various views were expressed. Then a small man in one corner said slowly:

"A friend of mine—that is he's more of an acquaintance—he ain't spent a nickle in five years."

"Rot! What are you givin' us?" and similar remarks greeted ths statement.

"Fact!" said the small one briefly, as he lit his pipe, "But he'll be out of jail next week!"

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ELECTRIC SPARKS

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The person who exepects dirty streets in the winter time usually has his expectations fulfilled.

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Real Friend.

I like a friend
Like Dudley Day.
He laughs with me
When I am gay.

But better yet,
When I am blue,
He'll always grumble
With me, too.

—Philadelphia Star.

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Everybody but Lawson wants to deny the peace leak, which to congress is not a good joke.

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Most any juror will agree that his services are worth more than he gets.

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NORTH CHARLEROI

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Mrs. George Mikesell has returned to her home in Detroit, Mich., after visiting with Mrs. C. E. Miller.

Mrs. John Myers has returned home after visiting relatives in Pittsburg

Mrs. Davis Coenbening of Monongahela visited friends this week.

Mrs. Charles Booth and Mrs. David Hope were callers in Pittsburg.

Eli Crable was a business caller in Allenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Day have moved to Raccon.

Misses Helen Sphar and Cary Reckard of Webster visited Mrs. J. W. Jeffrey.

David O'Kong of New York was a caller this week.

Haiti's Sans Souci.

The palace of Sans Souci, erected by Christophe, the black leader of Haiti, is situated in the hills above the level vale of Milot, with a background of forest and a foreground sprinkled with the palms and huts of simple cultivators. Dilapidated ruins and a tangle of tropical trees are the rueful remnants of the glory that was once the palace without care and the garden of delight of the king of slaves.

It was off the coast of Haiti, near the site of this palace, that the flagship of Columbus was wrecked, and here he left most of his men when he returned to Spain for aid. Upon his return to the settlement which he called "La Navidad," he found the whole party dead, including an Englishman named Allard and an Irishman, who was entered on the Santa Maria's books as William of Galway.—National Geographic Magazine.

The Vampire.

This is the vampire. Always there, sitting still, spending five to seven hours a day looking out the window on the street. Nothing to give, and always giving it. Seeking amusement, entertainment, but never affording any. Taking, but never giving. Sitting quietly and listening to others converse and confer, even when her presence is unwelcome, but saying nothing but an occasional yes or no. Primitive minded and narrow, with nothing to give, she drains others of ideas without retaining them—like a sieve. Thought passes through and beyond her without stopping. She acquires nothing, gives nothing, takes every thing. One person alone with her becomes exhausted while she is revivified.—New York Globe.

SUCCESS IN LIFE.

Put Business Before Pleasure Until You Have Reached the Top.

In an article called "Succeeding With What You Have" in the American Magazine Charles M. Schwab says:

"I have always felt that the surest way to qualify for the job just ahead is to work a little harder than any one else on the job he is holding down. One of the most successful men I have known never carried a watch until he [illegible] per year. Before that he had managed with a nickel alarm clock in his bedroom, which he [illegible].

"Young men may enjoy dropping [illegible] a dress suit for an evening of pleasure [illegible] the habit has certain [illegible]. I happen to know several [illegible] who got it so [illegible] that now they are spending all their time, days as well as evenings, in dress suits serving food in fashionable restaurants to men who did not get the dress suit habit until somewhat later in life.

"[illegible] we have heard much about investments. To my mind the best investment a young man starting out in business can possibly make is to give all his time, all his energies, to work—just plain, hard work. After a man's position is assured he can indulge in pleasure if he wishes. He will have lost nothing by waiting—and gained much. He will have made money enough to afford to spend some, and he will know that he has done his duty by himself and by the world."

COLOSSAL CLOCKS.

The World's Four Largest Ones Are In This Country.

A factory clock in Jersey City, N. J., is the largest in the world. Time can be read with the naked eye at a distance of three miles. The face of the clock is thirty-eight feet in diameter; the minute spaces are two feet apart; the minute hand is twenty feet long and weighs one-third of a ton.

The second largest clock in the world was built for an electric illuminating company in Boston. Specifications: Dial, thirty-four feet in diameter; weight of hands, 875 pounds; hour hand, fourteen feet four inches long; minute hand, eighteen feet six inches long.

The next two largest clocks are the Metropolitan tower, New York city, dial twenty-six and one-half feet in diameter; city hall, Philadelphia, dial twenty-five feet in diameter.

At the top of 300 steps in the clock tower at Westminster, Big Ben has marked time for London for over fifty years. The clock has four faces, each twenty-three feet across. The minute hands are fourteen feet long. The pendulum weighs nearly 450 pounds. The figures on the face are each two feet long, and the minute spaces are a foot square.

Silver of the Georgian Era.

The appreciation of the work of the era of George II. and George III. was illustrated by an auction sale which I attended the other day in London. A small mustard pot, very simple and elegant and slightly battered, was among the lots. It would have been passed over by most eyes, but it bore a hallmark of George II.'s time, and the dealers bid eagerly enough for its possession until it fell to an offer of 8 guineas an ounce. That there are still possibilities of appreciation in silver, however, was shown by the price given for a pair of old spoons of no unusual elegance and not in the best condition. They were dated 1613, and they brought £10 an ounce. — Westminster Gazette

Force of Habit.

"It's curious how habits fasten themselves on people. You know Wappsley?"

"Yes."

"He's an enthusiastic fisherman and always has a story to tell about some gigantic monster of the deep that he almost caught."

"I've heard him tell a lot of lies of that kind."

"Well, it seems that burglars broke into his house the other night, and he got up and captured one of them—a little fellow—but you ought to hear him tell about the size of the one that got away."

Tricky Husband.

Mr. Househunter (to real estate agent)—Mrs. Househunter will be in today, and I want you to tell her that the house we've been looking at is let.

Agent—Why—er—but it isn't.

Mr. Househunter—Well, it will be, for I'm taking it now. My wife can't make up her mind, but she'll want it badly as soon as she thinks she can't have it.—Pittsburgh Telegraph.

An Optimist.

"You say Gadsby is an optimist?"

"Unquestionably."

"What makes you think so?"

"Gadsby has never been able to earn more than $50 a week, yet he feels greatly encouraged every time he hears there is a demand for $10,000 a year men."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The Situation.

"Is the world getting better?"

"Maybe so as a general proposition, but what good does it do me? My boss is just as grouchy, my janitor just as mean and the neighborhood kids quite as pestiferous."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Human Voice.

The human voice will carry about three miles through a three foot speaking tube.

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When the Enterprise Literally Shot the Boxer to Pieces.

The Enterprise, an American twelve gun schooner with a brilliant naval career, was one of the steadily "lucky" vessels. Built in 1799 to deal with the French privateers in the West Indies, she had an extraordinary cruise in 1800. In a six months' run she took eight privateers, some of them much heavier than herself, and aggregated forty-seven guns, besides recapturing four American merchantmen.

Sent to the Mediterranean to operate against the Barbary pirates, the Enterprise captured a fourteen gun Tripolitan after a desperate engagement and later participated in the bombardment of Tripoli. Her finest battle was with the English brig Boxer, Captain Blythe commander, on Sept. 5, 1813, off the Maine coast toward Monhegan island. She then was under command of Lieutenant William Burrows and carried sixteen guns. The Boxer had fourteen. The crew of each vessel numbered about 100.

The fight began at 3:20 p. m. and was ended forty minutes later by the Boxer striking her colors. She had been literally cut to pieces in hull, masts, rigging and spars, several of her guns were dismounted, and her boats and quarters were shattered. The Enterprise was almost uninjured, having but one shot in the hull and one in the mainmast. Both commanders were killed. The American loss was two killed and ten wounded; the British, four killed and seventeen wounded.—Exchange.

MOSCOW CATHEDRAL.

Ivan the Terrible Lived Up to His Name In Building It.

One of the most extraordinary and fantastic Christian places of worship in the world is the Cathedral of Moscow, known as Vasili Blajenni, strange not only in outline and conception, but even stranger in its history.

No one knows the architect's name, but the story goes that the czar ordered his eyes to be put out directly the church was completed, so that he should never be able to surpass his work.

The idea of the building was inspired by the wickedest and maddest monarch who ever sat on a throne—Ivan the Terrible, czar of Muscovy.

The architecture is in every respect extravagant and barbaric, and the coloring is garish in the extreme. It has nine chapels, roofed by nine cupolas, each different and each stranger than the other. One resembles a pineapple, another a melon, a third is said to ape a hedgehog in its appearance, and the rest are more or less grotesque. Some are gilt; others are painted in brilliant hues.

Indeed, the only description is that it is a nightmare of a church, the fitting legacy of a ruler who grilled his counselors in frying pans and clothed his subjects in bearskins in order that trained dogs might worry and tear them to pieces.—Strand Magazine.

LET HER HAVE HER OWN WAY.

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Are you tired of your wife? Do you wish that she would get a divorce?

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Let her have her own way in everything. Yield to her absolutely. Let her believe that she can dominate you always.

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Pressed Brick, from Fifth Street to Eighth Street, per M.	2.75
Lookout avenue, from 5th Street to 8th Street, per M.	2.75
Pressed Brick from Lookout Avenue to Meadow Avenue, per M.	3.00
Pressed Brick, from Meadow Avenue to top of hill, per M.	3.50

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Charleroi, on the hill above Meadow Avenue	.75
Monessen, one or two trunks (bridge toll extra)	1.50
Belle Vernon, one or two trunks	1.50
Lock No. 4, one or two trunks, on the level	1.00
Lock No. 4, one or two trunks, on the hill	1.25

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Run of Mine, less than 25 bushels, per bushel	12½c
Run of Mine, over 25 bushels in any quantity, per bushel	11½c
Slack, less than 25 bushels, per bushel	10c
Slack, over 25 bushels, in any quantity, per bushel	9½c
Above Meadow Avenue, per bushel	1c more

COAL DELIVERED ON LOCK NO. 4 HILL

Screen Coal, in any quantity, per bushel	14c
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35c jar Chow Chow	25c
Dill Pickles 1 doz	10c
Best Corn Meal 3 lbs	10c
10 lb sack	33c
Quart can pure Olive Oil	75c
10c can Hershey Cocoa	6c
15c can Spinach	11c
Best Sweet Pickles 1 doz	6c
10c cans Dundee Milk 3 for	29c
Fresh Lunch Crackers 1 lb.	11c
Heinz Sauer Kraut 1 lb.	11c
5c pkg Sphagetti	4c
15c can Pears 2 for	25c
30c can Hawaiian Pineapple	20c
18c can Apricots 13c or 2 for	25c
15c can Plums	9c
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ORIGINS OF GAMES.

Tennis Is Very Old and Comes From the Greeks and Romans.

Tennis is perhaps the oldest of modern games. It is said to have originated in the ball games of the Greeks and Romans. The racket was introduced during the fifteenth century in France, where the game was very popular, and imported into England about the same time.

Of the origin of cricket we know but little, though it was possibly identical with the club ball of the fourteenth century and was first called "handyn and handoute."

Bowling greens and alleys were once plentiful in London, and Henry VIII. made an alley at Whitehall. The earliest picture of the game appears in an old print of about six centuries ago.

Few people know that London's famous thoroughfare, Pall Mall, derived its name from the old "Pall Mall" court which stood on the site [illegible] years ago. [illegible] was a form of croquet.

Golf or "goff" seems to have made its first appearance in the bandy ball of Elizabeth's reign, which was played with a club tipped with horn. Prince Henry, the son of James I., occasionally played at this game, which was very popular among the young noblemen of his day.

Football became such a rage with the London youths of the fourteenth century that a law was passed to prohibit it being played, as archery—then an important branch of education—was becoming thoroughly neglected.—London Mail.

CURIOUS TAXES.

Ways Holland Had of Raising Funds In the Old Days.

The archives of Holland contain ordinances which may well be regarded as curiosities of taxation. In the year 1666 there was a tax imposed on all passengers traveling in Holland by land or water. In 1791 this tax was still in force.

In 1771 a duty of 2½ pence was levied on each person who entered a tavern before noon. Those assembling in a private house after 3 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of amusing themselves had each to pay a certain sum, and those who entered a place of entertainment were likewise taxed. There was a duty on marriages and deaths. The amount of the tax varied according to the social position of the parties, while in the case of a person buried outside of the district in which he lived the amount payable by his executor was doubled.

But the most curious tax of all was one imposed in 1674 on boots and shoes. In order to prevent the impost from being evaded each of those articles so essential to human comfort had to be conspicuously marked on the upper leather with the stamp of the maker and also with that of the taxing officer. The sum to be paid was regulated by the size of the boot or shoe, so apart from the question of beauty in those days it was a real advantage to have a small foot. It saved expense.—London Mail.

Loans Without Interest.

In the city of Barcelona, Spain, there is a peculiar pawnbroking establishment bearing the dainty name of "Our Lady of Hope," where loans are made without interest to necessitous persons on the deposit of any articles in pledge. Two-thirds of the value of the deposit is at once advanced, and the loan is made for six months and a day, but if at the expiration of that period the depositor should declare himself unable to redeem it after another period of six months the pledges are sold, but if they yield more than the amount advanced the difference is given to the original owner. This institution is very popular. Thousands are every year suitors for the favor thus afforded by "Our Lady of Hope."—Richard Ford, "Gatherings From Spain."

Why Rubber Tires Grow Hot.

When an automobile is running at high speed the rubber tires are rapidly warmed, and the heat sometimes becomes very great, with resultant injury to the rubber. The cause of this accumulation of heat in the tire is ascribed to the kneading of the rubber, which generates heat faster than it can be radiated away. For this reason manufacturers have found it to be an advantage to have metal parts in the tread, such as the ends of rivets, in contact with the tire, because the metal, being a good radiator, helps to carry off the heat to the outer air.

Evolution of Clothes.

Centuries ago, as Sir Walter Scott says in "Ivanhoe," men wore one thickness of clothes, whether of wool, leather or velvet. The shirt was invented, but for a long time was worn only by the nobility and gentry. Then followed the waistcoat, breeches and later on trousers. The overcoat, which succeeded the medieval cloak, was rare until the seventeenth century.

Very Exclusive.

The English class was studying Scott, and the teacher asked some one to explain the meaning of the line, "He is come of high degree." One boy arose and explained readily, "It means his parents were both gentlemen."—Christian Herald.

Sometimes.

"Pop, tell me one thing."

"What is it, my son?"

"Is it the sea of troubles you hear about that they float loans on?"—Baltimore American.

Exactly.

"Do you know Robert Bruce won his way by watching a spider persevere?"

"Great Scott!"—Baltimore American.

A Traffic Tragedy.

The panicky pedestrian hesitated at the intersection of two busy streets. A motorcar was rushing upon him from one direction, from another point a motorcycle was approaching rapidly, an autotruck was coming from behind, and a taxicab was speedily bearing down upon him.

He gave a hopeless glance upward. Directly above him a runaway aeroplane was in rapid descent.

There remained for him but one resource. He was standing upon a manhole cover. Quickly seizing it, he lifted the lid, jumped into the hole—and was run over by a subway train!—New York Times.

The Moslem's Exalted Month.

Ramadan is the month exalted by Moslems above all others. In that month the Koran, according to Moslem tradition, was brought down by Gabriel from heaven and delivered to man in small sections. In that month Mohammed was accustomed to retire from Mecca to the cave of Hira for prayer and meditation. In that month Abraham, Moses and other prophets received their divine revelations. In that month the "doors of heaven are always open, the passages to hell are shut, and the devils are chained." So run the traditions.—Christian Herald.

Fifty-Fifty.

"My son," said the father impressively, "you are leading an absolutely useless life. For the last ten years you have done nothing but squander time and money."

"That's all right, dad," replied the unrepentant youth. "It isn't as if I was asking you to bear the whole burden. You just furnish the money, and I'll try to find the time."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Something In This.

Instead of the greeting, "How are you?" which makes it easy for your friends to discourse on their alleged ills, why not say "You're looking well?" which puts the burden of proof on the man who thinks he is ill.

There's an interesting bit of psychology in this.—Exchange.

Carnations.

The carnation was cultivated by the ancient Greeks, who gave it the name of Dianthus, flower of the gods. They used it for making chaplets, whence the name "coronation" was derived. It was partaken of at great banquets as a kind of salad.

A Second Washing.

"I've just washed out a suit for my little boy, and now it seems too tight for him."

"He'll fit it all right if you'll wash the boy."—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

A Friendly Suggestion.

Baron (to creditors)—I see no hope of being able to pay what I owe you. Why not organize a suicide club?—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

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There are scores of new hats in styles of the present season that are suitable for wear up until Easter season.

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AMONG THE THEATRES

MAJESTIC—CHARLEROI

Aside from the high class program this week at the Majestic theatre, interest was centered in two new projecting machines of the finest kind which arived and were put on display prior to installation. On Monday they will be used for the first time, after various tests in the projection of the great nine-reel drama, 'Civilization," produced by Ince. There were big featuring attractions at the Majestic this week, beginning on Monday with 'The Devil's Double," in which W. S. Hart appeared. Bessie Love was starred on Tuesday in "The Heiress of Coffee Dam." On Wednesday Carlyle Blackwell and Ethel Clayton were billed in 'The Madness of Helen." and made a big hit. Little Zoe Rae, a child, appeared Thursday in "Glorianna." Maurice Clara Williams in "Three of Many" will be the Friday feature, and the Saturday film will be Mark McDermott and Naomi Childers in "The Price of Fame."

COYLE—CHARLEROI

Appearing in "The Battle of Life," Gladys Coluurn appeared Monday at the Coyle, the characterization being arranged to suit well one of her talents. "The Country That God Forgot" was a strange sounding title to the Essany production on Tuesday, with Tom Santschi in the leading role. In dramatic work and scenic effect the drama was one of the first water. Mme. Petrova was the star in "The Black Butterfly" on Wednesday, the film winning large crowds to each show. On Tuesday Clea Ridgley and Wallace Reid, appearing in "The Yellow-Pawn." made a hit. Another high-class offering is "The Return of Eve," with Edna Mayo in the featuring role on Friday. Saturday great films billed is "The Vagabond," a return engagement with Charles Chaplin. "The House of Mirrors" is to be a contemporary show of Saturday with Frank Mills starring.

PALACE—CHARLEROI

There was vaudeville, of a nature to please all at the Palace theatre this week, beginning with a great bill the first three days. The headliner attraction was that of Daly Brothers, appearing in acrobatic features that showed the unusual adaptability of the pair to the work. Bond and Bond performed with singing and dancing and Oakes and Johnson as the "gloom chasers" presented an act full of life. For the last half of the week the first night's performance drew crowds. The headliner attraction is The National quartet as harmony singers. Their act is direct from the Harris in Pittsburg. Roy and Wilson, are presenting for the final half of the week a novelty singing sketch that is worth while. They carry special effects. "The Talkative Woman" is the title of the production of Dreano and Goodwin.

NEW DAVIS—PITTSBURG.

The dancing event par excellence of the current season is scheduled to take place in high class vaudeville at the New Davis theatre for a week of two-a-day performances beginning Monday afternoon, January 15. It is the appearance of Ruth St. Denis the the Berkley Greek theatre and the University of California. Miss St. Denis, aided by Ted Shawn and fifteen Denishawn dancers, who participated in the memorable dance pageant of the past summer in California, will present a revue of the dances of India, Greece and Egypt. This performance is a condensation of that given under the auspices of the University of California and which has done so much to spread the vogue of the Greek Theatre and of the art of story dancing. Special music has been written for the entire production except for a few interpolated numbers. Walter Meyrowitz of Berlin composed the Egyptian numbers, Countess Adaa de Dachan the Grecian music and Arthur Nevin of New York, formerly of Sewickley, who is a brother of Ethelbert Nevin, famous as the composer of "Narcissus," has written the Indian music. Miss St. Denis and her big brilliant pageant, however will be only one of a series of nine feature attractions Mr. Davis will offer next week. Among the particular stars is Edna Aug, one of the few successful women monologists, who will present character studies, including a scrub women, a was-once-a-young-lady and a "wallflower." Miss Aug is recalled as the gifted actress who succeeded Rose Stahl as star of James Forbes' comedy, "The Chorus Lady" and also as the theatrical stenographer in the same author's newer farce. "The Show Shop."

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark have returned from their honeymoon trip which was spent at Cambridge Springs.

Miss Elizabeth Frew returned Thursday from Brownsville where she spent the first part of the week with her sister Mrs. O. Lance Riggs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wikstrom were Pittsburg visitors Friday

George W. Might was a caller in Homestead Friday.

Mrs. Sam Claybaugh spent Friday at Pittsburg.

C. W. Albright, Jr., was a business visitor in Uniontown Thursday

James Hott of Monessen was a visitor with his mother Mrs. John Hott Thursday.

John Lutes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton E. Lutes of Crest avenue and who is a student at the University of Pittsburg is in a Pittsburg hospital suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

The Young Ladies Missionary Circle of the First Christian church will be entertained at the home of Miss Lois Geho on Prospect avenue this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Warren Kinder returned Thursday evening from Brownsville where they visited with friends.

W. W. Seaton of Uniontown was a visitor with friends and on business in Charleroi Thursday.

R. T. Ellenberger, who was operated upon several days ago at the Allegheny General hospital is getting along finely, and will be able to return home next Sunday.

Miss Nelle Acton of Vesta has accepted a position at Berryman's Department store.

Morris Booth who has just returned from service in the United states army in Mexico and Porto Rico, is viciting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Booth of North Charleroi.

Joseph S. Nutt, carpenter foremen of the U. S. Boatyards at North Charleroi has returned from a visit with his family at Doylestown.

William Walton who is visiting with hs son at Washington, D. C. is seriously ill.

SCHOOL NIGHT TO BE OBSERVED AT METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

School night will be observed at the Methodist Episcopal church tonight, where Pastor C. A. Hartung is conducting revival services. School pupils are expected to attend in a body and an appropriate sermon will be preached to them.

Thursday night the text "Thou shalt call his name Jesus, for He shall save people from their sins," was the theme for a powerful sermon on the saving grace of the Divine One. There was a good attendance.

BAPTIST MISSION CIRCLE MEETS AT HOME OF MRS. H. P. JACOBS

Mrs. H. P. Jacobs was hostess at her home on Crest avenue to the Baptist Mission Circle Thursday afternoon. There was a good atendance of members and an interesting program was presented. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. W. G. Carl. Talks of the afternoon were given by Mrs. C. P. McCormick, who spoke on "Social and Moral Inheritance," and Mrs. A. M. Gregg of Monongahela who took up "The Woman's Side of the Five-year Program." A musical program was rendered by Mrs. A. G. Lewis, soprano, who contributed a solo with accompaniment by Miss Della Jacobs, and Mrs. Floyd Chalfant, who rendered a piano selection.

Will Held 500 Party

The Charleroi Ladies' Auxiliary of the Charleroi-Monessen hospital will give a 500 party at the Charleroi Elks' club next Tuesday. Lunch will be served.

A teaspoonful of fresh herbs and leaves in a cup of hot water and you have a natural medicine for stomach, liver and bowels. Relieves headaches, sour stomach and constipation. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Not drastic, does not gripe. Henning's Drug Store.

The Horse Upstairs.

Not long since we were riding on an elevated train in Chicago. We looked out of the car, and there, right at our elbow, was a horse's head, thrust through the upper door window of a brick building. It was a startling thing. We felt like saying, "Now, what on earth are you doing up here, old man?" But the horse appeared to be very much at home. No doubt he lived there, twenty feet or so from the ground. It was like a jail. He had no barn lot or pasture. When his day's work was over he was taken direct from the wagon to his upstairs stall. Rents were too high for his owner to furnish a stall on the ground. He never had a chance to "roll over" or to nibble at a bit of fresh plowed earth. Yet that horse's life in the city was no more artificial and abnormal than the life of the average city man. The man goes of his own accord, however, and the horse has no choice in the matter. Probably the horses wonder why men want to hive together like bees.—Farm Life.

Aztecs and Human Sacrifices.

Human victims were sacrificed by the Aztecs in various ways and relatively in large numbers. Hubert Howe Bancroft, in his "History of Mexico," says: "The victims were for the most part captives taken in war, and war was often made solely with a view to obtaining them. A large proportion, however, consisted of condemned criminals or slaves, and even of children, bought or presented for the purpose. Moreover, persons sometimes offered themselves voluntarily for the good of the people or for the honor of a god. The greater part of the victims died under the knife, but some were burned alive, and children were often buried alive or drowned, while we hear of criminals being crushed to death between stones. But the most cruel sacrifice of all, and yet the most common, was performed by tearing out the heart of a living human creature at the sacrificial stone."

Mesmerism.

Franz Anton Mesmer, the founder of mesmerism, was a German physician of Merseberg. His thesis setting forth the science of mesmerism was published in 1766. Mesmer contended that the heavenly bodies diffused through the universe a subtle fluid, which acts on the nervous system of all animated beings and especially upon that of man. He gained a great number of followers and realized a splendid fortune. A committee of physicians and "philosophers" investigated his pretensions, which were finally exposed in 1784. Notwithstanding this, however, Mesmer continued to have many friends and followers, so great was the personal "magnetism" of the man.

A Whistler Story.

When Whistler had not yet reached the height of his fame a millionaire called at his studio and wanted his wife's portrait done.

"How much will you charge me, Mr. Whistler," he said, "for a life size picture of the madam?"

"My price," said Whistler, "will be $2,500."

The millionaire took up his hat and stick.

"Why," he snorted, turning to go "you expect to be paid for your work as if you had been dead four or five hundred years!"

Where the Paint Was.

Regular Customer (who has just entered restaurant)—Strong smell of paint here, William. Walter (coughing apologetically and indicating young women about to leave table)—Yessir; soon pass off, sir; they're just going.—London Punch.

Had Not Tried His Word.

"Is his word good?"

"I don't know as to that. I've never taken his word for anything, but I've got four of his notes that weren't any good."—Detroit Free Press.

MRS. KATHERINE SWAIN DIES THIS MORNING AT ELIZABETH

Body Brought to Home of Daughter, Mrs. Nelle Crabb at North Charleroi—Funeral to be Held Tuesday.

Mrs. Katherine Swain, aged 60 years and nine months the widow of William Swain died suddenly at Elizabeth this morning at 12:05 o'clock. Her body was brought to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nelle Crabb at North Charleroi this morning The funeral will take place Tuesday morning, leaving the house at 8:30 o'clock. Solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Jerome's Catholic church and interment will be in Calvary cemetery. One daughter and two grand children survive. Mrs. Swain also is survived by four sisters Mrs. Thomas Kitzgerald, Mrs. Thomas Hamilton and Miss Sue Slaffey of Washington and Mrs. John Fish of Northside, Pittsburg.

MONESSEN WORKMAN IS FATALLY HURT IN MILL

Michael Matta, aged 42 years, married with a family living at Monessen, was fatally injured in the Pittsburg Steel plant Thursday night. He died in the Memorial hospital at Monongahela some time later.

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Interest is agog in the semi-final with Marty Henderson of Donora and Johnny Fundy of Pittsburg. Young Pincho of Charleroi, who lately has been showing signs of stepping into fast company, is to face Trixie Brennan of Pittsburg in the second and in the curtain raiser Kid Bullet of Monessen and Toots Ketchell of Donora will appear.

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